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SUBJECT: ITF CONGRESS: CHILEAN BOYCOTT

REF: STOCKHOLM 3461, 3493

1. AFTERNOON RIGHTIST "LA SEGUNDA" AUG 13 CARRIES AS ITS PRINCIPAL HEADLINE "GRAVE BOYCOTT AGAINST CHILE". SUB-LEAD READS: "A MANEUVER OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM." SUBSTANCE OF STORY BUILT AROUND CABLE ALLEGEDLY RECEIVED BY "LA SEGUNDA" FROM CHILEAN WORKERS DELEGATION TO ITF CONGRESS. EMBASSY TRANSLATION OF CABLE AS FOLLOWS:

"ITF AUTHORITIES PROHIBITED PARTICIPATION IN CONGRESS BY CHILEAN DELEGATES. VERY HOSTILE AND AGGRESSIVE ATMOSPHERE LED BY EUROPEAN SECTORS WHO ARE CALLING FOR DRASTIC SANCTIONS AGAINST CHILE. WE WILL STAY UNTIL END OF CONGRESS TO TRY TO PREVENT EXCESSIVE MEASURES.
(SIGNED) DELEGATION."

2. REST OF STORY DEVOTED TO DESCRIPTION OF DIRE EFFECTS OF ANY BOYCOTT ON CHILEAN ECONOMY AND CLAIM THAT "ENTIRE PLOT HAS BEEN HATCHED AND DIRECTED FROM MOSCOW, WHOSE AGENTS (INFILTRATED) IN
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ALL THE TRADE UNIONS OF THE WORLD HAVE BEEN QUIETLY PUSHING

FOR THIS MEASURE." STORY ALSO NOTES "ACTIVE PARTICIPATION" IN ITS
CONGRESS OF CHILEAN COMMUNIST LABOR LEADERS (BUT NOT DELEGATES)
LUIS FIGUEROA AND JORGE GODOY AND PRESENCE OF "INEFFABLE"
COMMUNIST FORMER SENATOR VOLODIA TEITELBOIM.
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